

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the
Western District of North Carolina

United States of America

v.

Tijwan Dupree Stephens

Date of Original Judgment: November 14, 2008

Date of Last Amended Judgment: _____

)

) Case No: 0419 5:06CR00030

) USM No: 21431-058

)

) Erin Taylor

) Defendant's Attorney

Order Regarding Motion for Sentence Reduction Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2)

AND NOW, this 3rd day of April, 2015,

Upon motion of ☒ the defendant ☐ the Director of the Bureau of Prisons ☐ the court under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) for a reduction of sentence pursuant to Amendment 782 to the Sentencing Guidelines, and taking into account the policy statement set forth at USSG § 1B1.10 and the sentencing factors set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a), to the extent that they are applicable,

IT IS ORDERED that the motion is:

☒ DENIED. ☐ GRANTED and the defendant's previously imposed sentence of imprisonment (as reflected in the last judgment issued) of **is reduced to** _____

If the amount of time the defendant has served as of November 1, 2015, exceeds the reduced sentence stated in this Order, the sentence is instead reduced to a sentence of time served as of November 1, 2015.

I. COURT DETERMINATION OF GUIDELINE RANGE (Prior to Any Departures)

Original Offense Level: 31

Criminal History Category: VI

Original Guideline Range: 188 to 235 months

Amended Offense Level: 27

Criminal History Category: VI

Amended Guideline Range: 130 to 162 months

II. SENTENCE RELATIVE TO AMENDED GUIDELINE RANGE

- ☐ The reduced sentence is within the amended guideline range.
- ☐ The previous term of imprisonment imposed was less than the guideline range applicable to the defendant at the time of sentencing and the reduced sentence is comparably less than the amended guideline range.
- ☐ The reduced sentence is above the amended guideline range.
- ☐ Amendment 782 is subject to a Special Instruction at USSG § 1B1.10(e)(1) that reduced sentences shall not take effect until November 1, 2015, or later. Since this defendant's projected GCT release date is, Amendment 782 is not applicable in this case.
- ☐ The Reduced sentence is based upon Amendment ☐ 750 ☐ 782
- ☒ Other (explain): No reduction as the defendant was sentenced to the mandatory minimum.

III. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Upon release from imprisonment, and absent a residential plan accepted by the U.S. Probation Office prior to release from incarceration, it is ordered that as a condition of supervised release the defendant shall submit to the local Resident Reentry Center for a period not to exceed 90 days, with work release, at the direction of the U.S. Probation Office.

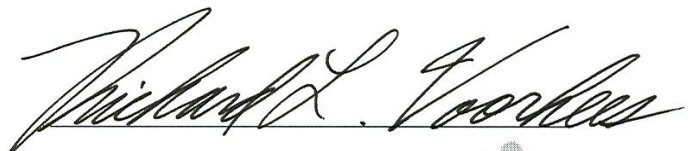
Except as provided above, all provisions of the judgment dated November 14, 2008 shall remain in effect.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Order Date: April 6, 2015

Signed: April 6, 2015

Effective Date:
(if different from order date)



Richard L. Voorhees
United States District Judge

